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SUBJECT RESPONSE TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE TO THE

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1. FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM PRESIDENT FORD SHOULD BE
DELIVERED TO PRESIDENT: QUOTE YOUR EXCELLENCY:
ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, MRS. FORD AND I THANK
YOU FOR YOUR MOST WELCOME MESSAGE OF GOOD WISHES ON THE
COMMEMORATION OF THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR NATION'S
INDEPENDENCE.

AS WE ENTER OUR THIRD CENTURY, THE UNITED STATES RE-
DEDICATES ITSELF IN WORD AND DEED TO THE PRINCIPLES OF
LIBERTY, EQUALITY AND INDIVIDUAL DIGNITY.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH YOU TOWARD THE IMPORTANT
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GOALS OUR NATIONS SHARE. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD.

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2. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT
WISHES TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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